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**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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Title : METHODS FOR ISOLATION AND  
LABELING OF SAMPLE  
MOLECULES

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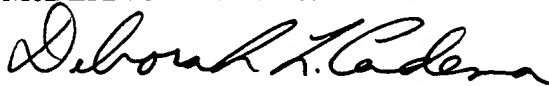
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